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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME under C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

For replying to the Office action dated May 15, 2006 in the patent application identified above, Applicant(s) hereby requests a further extension of time of **one month**, from **October 16, 2006** to **November 15, 2006**.

Accompanying the EFS Web submission of this paper is an authorization to charge to a credit card the \$1,020 fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3) for reply within the third month, minus \$450. Applicant(s) already paid the \$450 fee in a petition for extension of time for reply within the second month, filed October 16, 2006. The accompanying credit-card charge authorization is for the \$570 fee thus due.

Respectfully submitted,

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